

105TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 3118

To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to increase the Federal medical assistance percentage for Hawaii to 59.8 percent.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 28, 1998

Mr. ABERCROMBIE (for himself and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce

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## A BILL

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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. INCREASED FMAP FOR HAWAII.**

4       (a) INCREASED FMAP.—The first sentence of sec-  
5       tion 1905(b) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.  
6       1396d(b)), as amended by section 4725(b) of the Balanced  
7       Budget Act of 1997 (Public Law 105–33; 111 Stat. 518),  
8       is amended—

9               (1) by striking “and (3)” and inserting “, (3)”;

10       and

1           (2) by inserting before the period at the end the  
2           following: “, and (4) for purposes of this title and  
3           title XXI, the Federal medical assistance percentage  
4           for Hawaii shall be 59.8 percent”.

5           (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by  
6           subsection (a) shall apply to—

7           (1) items and services furnished on or after Oc-  
8           tober 1, 1998, under—

9           (A) a State plan or under a waiver of such  
10          plan under title XIX; and

11          (B) a State child health plan under title  
12          XXI of such Act;

13          (2) payments made on a capitation or other  
14          risk-basis for coverage occurring under plans under  
15          such titles on or after such date; and

16          (3) payments attributable to DSH allotments  
17          for Hawaii determined under section 1923(f) of such  
18          Act (42 U.S.C. 1396r–4(f)) for fiscal years begin-  
19          ning with fiscal year 1999.

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